

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

**DR. F. P. HOWARD.**—We are glad to learn that this gentleman, who, while attending to and waiting upon the sick at Wickenburg during the sickly season, contracted disease himself, is recovering. All who have arrived here from our sister town during the last month speak in the highest terms of the noble-hearted manner in which the Doctor has attended to the wants of his many patients, and of the success that has attended his efforts to restore them to health.

**SERMON.**—Sunday last, after the close of the Sabbath School exercises, a large audience of the citizens of Prescott and vicinity, assembled in the Court Room and listened attentively to an able sermon read in an impressive manner by the Chief Justice of the Territory, Wm. F. Turner. In the absence of a regular clergyman, this is the next best way in which our Christian people can serve the Lord, and, although, circumstances over which we have no control compel us to serve Him in another way on Sundays, we hope our citizens will continue to meet in prayer every Sunday until a regular Minister can be procured.

**NICE PRESENT.**—In California it is nothing uncommon for an editor to receive a present of a box of delicious peaches, and thank the donor in a short manner as possible, but out here in the wilds of Arizona, such an occurrence is so new, rare and hope inspiring that we cannot forego the temptation of bragging about our country, our peaches and our people. To begin with, we wish outsiders to understand that these peaches were raised at Walnut Grove, in this county, a settlement not yet five years old. The peaches themselves were large and luscious and there are plenty more of the same sort in Mr. and Mrs. Lamberson's orchard. Just imagine a peach orchard, whose trees have to be carefully propped, to prevent the fruit from breaking the branches, in a country that, five years ago, was a "howling wilderness," inhabited solely by Indians. Next year, should Providence smile upon us, Yavapai will produce enough fruit for all of her inhabitants. Mr. and Mrs. Lamberson are among the oldest residents of the county, and may justly feel a pride in being the pioneer fruit raisers in the mountains of Arizona. May they live to see a thousand peach orchards in the county.

**ALLAN & WHITE.** will, hereafter, upon the arrival of each mail, hold their flag and keep it up until the mail closes, so that citizens living at a distance from this end of town may know when the mail arrives and departs, without having to travel to the post office, or to their store to find out.

**BUSINESS** is improving at the Recorder's office. Some elaboration has been spoken of, but are looking up.

**WELCOME BACK.**—It pleases us to see among us more the old familiar face of L. R. St. James. He has charge of the office at the Sterling mine.

**MISSA.** BRANCH and Wunderlich made a flying visit to Big Bug and back again last week. They found the boys at Gray & Co's mill all right. No Indians had been seen around the mill since the recent fight.

**PROVISIONS** are mighty scarce at Fort Whipple. Jones and Werninger's trains are daily looked for, and we are informed that they will reach here in a day or two. Mr. Reid, Chief Clerk in the Quartermaster's office, thinks he can muster enough provisions to last until the trains arrive.

**A LITTLE "supplimentary"** was created here last week between certain parties, in relation to the recent sale of wagons at or near the Bully Bueno mill. The wagons were levied upon and sold by creditors of the Walnut Grove Gold and Silver Mining Co., but the agent of G. H. Vickroy, replenished the wagons. The affair was afterwards adjusted to the satisfaction of both parties.

**LIEUTENANT JAS. A. BUCHANAN,** A. C. S., at Camp McPherson, advertises for proposals for furnishing Government with corn fodder at that post. See advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

**COMPLAINT** has been made to the Supervisors that a portion of the county road from Prescott to Walnut Grove, via the Sterling mine, has been felled in, and the Supervisors say "it can't be did."

**THE numerous friends of R. W. Groom** will be pleased to learn that his health is improving. While at Wickenburg, he contracted sickness, which, after his arrival here, confined him to his bed, and came near ending up his earthly career, but he is now almost master of the situation, and will, we hope, soon regain his strength.

**A. W. HASKELL,** who has been spending a few days with his friends in Prescott, left with the mail Wednesday last, for his quarters, the office of the Venture Mining Co., of Wickenburg. While here, Mr. H. expressed himself highly delighted with our mountain town, and we hope to see him here again.

**COMPANY L, Eighth Cavalry,** arrived home to Fort Whipple Monday last, after an absence of several weeks. The company was stationed at Walnut Grove part of the time, and on the scout for Indians the other portion. We believe they were called home on account of the great number of Indians that are prowling around this vicinity. While scouting they succeeded in capturing and killing several Indians, and captured some animals. May they do so again, soon.

**DAVID KING** was brought here from the head of Lynx Creek, last week, sick with fever. He is stopping at the Governor's house, where he receives the best of care and attention from Mr. Fleury.

**WE** learn that a man named Joseph Buckman, who was well known here, died recently of fever, at a mail station between La Paz and Wickenburg. Deceased served in the California Volunteers under General Connor, and was a quiet, sober, industrious citizen.

**MR. J. GOLDWATER,** merchant, has removed his stock to Wickenburg.

**LARGE ONIONS.**—Arizona is heavy on producing large, fine onions. At the stores in Prescott may be seen whole sacks of them, every one of which will weigh four pounds.

**FROM J. C. LONDON,** who came up from Camp Lincoln and the settlements on the Rio Verde last week, we learn that the Indians have stolen

tons of corn from the settlers, and that owing to the small number of troops for duty at the post, work upon the Mogollon wagon road had to be suspended, for the present. He also informed us that the body of the Indian recently shot by Jos. Melvin had been found, together with numerous bows, arrows, Indian baskets, etc., and about a ton of corn which the Indians dropped at the crack of Joe's gun. Lieutenants Derby and Austin, Mr. Lennon, and the mail party started for Lincoln Tuesday last.

**A WAGON,** team and escort of men started to go to Big Bug District early this week for a boiler for the new saw mill. Mr. Richardson, who by the way is one of the best engineers and machinists in the Territory, informs us that said boiler was injured by men who formerly operated with it, but, if he can get the material here to fix it, he is competent to make it as good as new.

**BREVET-MAJOR MENNICKS,** the able and courteous Adjutant at Fort Whipple, has informed us that about thirty recruits are on their way here. A thousand are needed.

**ARIZONA HOTEL.**—Major Wm. Montgomery has recently leased and taken charge of the Arizona, at Wickenburg. The Major knows how to keep a hotel, as well as handle a company of soldiers, and we advise all our friends to stop at the Arizona.

**READER.**—Before this number of the MINER goes to press, we will be on the road to the ranches on the Agua Fria River, east of Prescott, to insure in meadow patches, get a little fresh air and exercise, and view the wonders of nature. If we do not get scolded by Indians you will hear from us again.

**PROTECTION DEMANDED.**—Mr. Bennett, the oldest merchant in Wickenburg, and one of the oldest citizens of the Territory, in a letter dated the 10th inst., says it is actually necessary that soldiers be stationed on the La Paz trail route, and in the vicinity of Wickenburg, in order to protect the lives and property of citizens, and keep the mail route open. The Indians are numerous and bitterly hostile.

**FELLOW CITIZENS OF YAVAPAI.**—Your ears for a moment. Not for the purpose of cutting them off, but to tell you the fact that E. J. Cook's Adobe Store is now filled with choice groceries and provisions, fashionable clothing, nice ladies' goods, glassware, crockery and everything that can possibly be required to meet your wants, and the beauty of the thing is, he says (Mr. Cook never swears; his salesman, Geo. Reed, attends to that part of the business), that he is determined to sell goods cheaper than any other trader in Prescott. Call at the Adobe, see how neatly things are arranged by Mr. Reed, examine his goods, and our word for it, you cannot resist the temptation of buying something from him—he is such a nice pleasant gentleman, and so polite to ladies and gentlemen. ac194

**A FEW MORE INDIANS MADE PEACABLE.**—Mr. L. Q. Dickason came to town early in the week, and reports that he has been acting as guide for the troops under command of Lieut. Somerby, who have been scouting the country in the neighborhood of the lower settlements on the Agua Fria for two weeks past, with good success. On Wednesday evening, September 9th, they surprised the Indians on the divide between the Agua Fria and the Verde, killed two and took four prisoners. Next day, on the way back to camp at Dickason's ranch, the command surprised a small party of the corn-stealers on Ash Creek, about six miles from the Camp, killed four and took three prisoners. The command returned to camp on Friday. On Saturday Indians were discovered in the rocks near Dickason's house. The boys made a grand rush at them and succeeded in killing three. So nine of the wretches are good Indians now. Of the prisoners taken two were full-grown squaws and five children. One of the squaws stated that they were Apache-Mohaves and were on the La Paz Reservation last winter. Also that all the Apache-Mohaves, under the old Chief Martin are in the mountains near Black Canyon. Lieut. Somerby has fifteen of Co. B's boys under his command, and he and they deserve the thanks of the community for the energy displayed in hunting the redskins. The Lieutenant intends making a scout towards Black Canyon next week. Mr. Dickason will go as guide, he knows the country well, and where the Indians are likely to be found. We wish Lieutenant S. and command continued success.

**COL. E. D. BAKER** will read a Sermon, by the Rev. N. Adams, D. D., of Boston, on next Sabbath at 3 o'clock, in the Court Room in Prescott. The public are invited to be present.

**LOS ANGELES ITEMS.**—We clip the following from the Los Angeles Republic of Sept. 5th: A fire broke out about 10 o'clock p.m., Tuesday in the Mechanics' Boarding House on Spring street, and the alarm created quite a commotion on the streets for a short time. But luckily the fire was extinguished before any material damage was done.

**Marshall Warren** informs us that the reason no thieves were captured when the large band of horses were recovered last week, was because the horses had been sold, and the thieves had left the neighborhood, some days before they went after them.

**On Thursday last,** a cattle drover while passing the Nipomo Ranch with his cattle, ordered a sheep herder who was pasturing his flock on the ranch, to move off the road with his sheep, and allow the cattle to pass. On the herder refusing to do so, the drover fired two shots at him from a revolver, fortunately without effect. The herder ran to his house near by, and having procured arms, proceeded to do some shooting himself. He fired but once at the drover, the ball penetrating the back of his neck and coming out of his mouth. We do not know what has become of the cattle man, as he immediately rode away from where the affray took place. How he escaped instant death is a mystery.

**GEN. GRANT** was invited after service in Grace church, New York, on a recent Sunday to hear the organ play. "No," replied the General: "I don't know one tune from another, and would rather hear a bass drum than an organ any day."—*Radical Paper.*

**If such be the case,** what faith can the people place in the General, when he says "the country needs peace." Is a bass drum the emblem of peace? Reddon not. We have had a little two much bass drum in the last six or seven years and know full well that its music is not conducive to peace.

## EASTERN NEWS.

We take the following items from late Eastern dispatches:

The President has issued a proclamation announcing the ratification of the treaty with Nicaragua. Among other provisions, Nicaragua grants to United States citizens and property the right of transit across the Isthmus on any route or communication, natural or artificial, by land or water, which may now or hereafter be constructed under the authority of Nicaragua; to be used and enjoyed in the same manner and on equal terms by both Republics, Nicaragua, however reserving its right of sovereignty over the same.

It is estimated that the forthcoming statement of the public debt will show an increase of five or six millions. The army expenses have been very large, which, with the Alaska payments will swell the total.

The President has issued an order in pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved July 27, 1868, establishing Sitka as the port of entry for the collection district of Alaska.

The appointment of Supervisors of Internal Revenue has come to a dead lock, Secretary McCulloch having absolutely declined to appoint any persons recommended by Commissioner Rollins unless he could designate the names of an equal number. This is in pursuance of the determination on the part of the President to give more active support to Seymour. There are indications that the Post Office will be used in the same direction.

Thaddeus Stevens' will has been admitted to probate. He donated the bulk of his property to his nephew, Captain Thaddeus Stevens, on condition that he totally abstain from intoxicating liquors. In the event of his nephew failing to make such condition, it goes for the erection of a refuge in Lancaster, for homeless and indigent Orphan, without regard to race, color, religion or descent.

Another section of twenty miles of the Union Pacific Railroad has been completed. The road is now running 780 miles from Omaha.

A letter from the city of Mexico, dated Aug. 10th, states that most of the revolutionary disturbances have been quelled, affairs in Puebla and Vera Cruz alone remaining unquieted.

A late letter from Panama says that the natives greatly declare that annexation to the United States is the only salvation for the Isthmus.

The International yacht race came off at the Isle of Wight on the 25th inst., and was won by the Cambria, the American yacht "Sappho" being fourth.

A Frenchman, living in New York, claims to have invented a flying machine, which can be propelled rapidly against any current of air.

One of the Washington Administration papers announces that Secretaries McCulloch, Browning, Welles, and Randall, will support Seymour and Blair, and that Seward has not yet made up his mind.

**RECENTLY,** in San Francisco, at a Radical gathering, some jubilant and unwise Democrats cheered for Seymour, and was immediately set upon by some of "Freedom's Defenders," and beaten almost into a jelly. Now, we do not think a Democrat has a right to go to an opposition meeting and hurrah for his doctrine, or his standard-bearer, neither do we think a paper like the *San Francisco* should incite its party, the Radicals to murder and lawlessness, by endorsing the action of the thugs of its party. Remember, Granny, what you thought of mob law when the mob threatened to tear down your concern.

## New Advertisements.

### ARMY SUPPLIES.

Office of the Assistant Commissary Subistence.

CAMP MCPHERSON, ARIZONA, 2 September 1, 1868.

**SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE,** will be received by the undersigned, at this office, until

Thursday, October 1, 1868,

at twelve o'clock, M., for supplying the United States Government,

At CAMP MCPHERSON, Arizona Territory, with (40) Forty tons of Hay or Corn fodder. Bids will be received for any part of the above amount.

The Hay or Corn fodder must be well-cured and entirely free from sand and dirt. The former to be of the best quality of native grass. It will be subject to inspection and weight, and must be delivered and stacked in such part of Camp McPherson, Arizona, as the A. C. S. at that post may direct. The stacks must be carefully built and properly tacked off, so as to protect them from the weather, and so arranged as to prevent the Hay or Corn fodder from coming in contact with the ground, and affording free circulation of air underneath.

The parties to whom contracts may be awarded will be required, within forty-eight (48) hours after the acceptance of the bids, to give bonds equal to fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the contract, for the faithful performance of the same.

Each proposal must be accompanied with a statement signed by the persons offering, by the bidder as his securities, stating their willingness to enter into bonds in case the contract should be awarded to said bidder. In case of firms making bids, each individual name must be written out. Prices must be written as well as expressed in figures. The oath of allegiance to the United States Government must accompany each proposal.

The delivery of the hay or corn fodder to be commenced immediately after the approval of the contract by the Division Commissioners and to terminate by the 30th day of November, 1868.

No contract shall be considered in force until it shall have received the approval of the Division Commander.

Terms should be stated in U. S. gold coin, or the market value thereof in currency, at date of payment.

Payment will be made in such funds as may be furnished by the United States for that purpose, if on hand. If not on hand, certified accounts will be given.

The Government reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A copy of this advertisement (a slip cut from this paper) must accompany each proposal.

Proposals to be enclosed in an envelope and endorsed "Proposals for Hay or Corn fodder at Camp McPherson, Arizona," and directed to the undersigned.

Bids will not be considered unless the persons making them are present; nor from those who have heretofore failed to fulfill their contracts with the Government.

JAMES A. BUCHANAN,  
Second Lieut. 14th Reg. U. S. Infantry, A. C. S.  
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## Prescott Advertisements.

G. ALLEN ..... C. WHITE.

### ALLEN & WHITE,

DEALERS IN...

#### GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Boots, Shoes,  
Wines, Liquors,  
Clothing, Hardware,

And all other Articles needed by Arizonians.

At the Store formerly occupied by Jas. Grant.

MONTEZUMA STREET, PRESCOTT.

TERMS, REASONABLE.

Prescott, Arizona, August 20, 1868.

## Arizona Stage Company.



Stages Leave La Paz every Saturday,  
Leave Wickenburg every Thursday.  
Semi-Weekly Mail regularly between La Paz and Prescott, via Wickenburg.

J. GOLDWATER, Agent at La Paz,  
W. K. FERRIS, " Wickenburg.  
JAMES GRANT,  
Contractor and Proprietor.  
Prescott, June 10, 1868.

## Quartz Mountain Saw Mill.

THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC IS called to the fact that we have renewed facilities for the manufacture of

### All Kinds of Lumber,

for Building purposes, and for Mills and Mining.

Come with your money, and we will arrange the price according to the quality. Terms, cash on delivery, payable in U. S. gold coin, or its equivalent in currency.

A. O. NOYES, Agent.

Prescott, September 17, 1867.

## STEAM SASH-DOOR, BLIND,

AND...

### FURNITURE MANUFACTORY,

Montezuma Street, Prescott.

ORDERS FOR ALL KINDS OF TURNED Material, for Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, etc., promptly filled and sent to all parts of the Territory. Chairs, Tables and Bedsteads made to order. All kinds of Cabinet Work neatly executed.

### Our Prices are Reasonable.

S. E. BLAIR,  
R. E. ELLIOTT.  
Prescott, February 21, 1868.

## NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED to the undersigned, either by note or book account, will save costs by immediately settling accounts with Mr. W. M. CORY, who is authorized to give receipts in my name.

JAMES GRANT, ac224

Prescott, Arizona, August 21, 1868.

## NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO GRAY & CO., Wickenburg, will please make payment to Mr. F. BRILL, of that place, who is authorized to receive for the same.

All debts paid within sixty days from date will be placed in the hands of an attorney, for collection.

Wickenburg, September 7, 1868. GRAY & CO. ac123

## IN PROBATE COURT,

Yavapai County.

Estate of I. H. WAMSLEY, Deceased.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, in pursuance of an Order of the Probate Court of the County of Yavapai, in the Territory of Arizona, made on the third day of August, A. D. 1868, in the matter of the Estate of I. H. Wamsley, deceased, the undersigned, Administrator of said estate, will sell, by Public Auction, in the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the Court House, in the Town of Prescott, at ten o'clock A. M., on

Saturday, October 10th, A. D. 1868,

the following property of the deceased, consisting of—

One Hundred and Sixty Acres of Land,

On the Agua Fria, in Yavapai County, Arizona.

T. Q. HICKASON, Administrator.

By JOHN HOWARD, Attorney.

Dated September 12, 1868. 13

## POSTAGE STAMPS,

OF VARIOUS DENOMINATIONS,

On hand and For Sale, at Government Prices.

ALLEN & WHITE.

Montezuma Street, Prescott.

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## NEW ARRANGEMENT!

GOOD FRENCH BREAD,

EXCELLENT PIES, CAKES, etc.

Made by Carlo Lopez, a first-class baker and pastry-cook, late of Hermosillo, Sonora, will be on hand and for sale,

AT SCHREIBER'S BAKERY,  
Montezuma Street, Prescott, on and after Sunday, August 16, 1868. ANTONIO VIVANERA. CARLO LOPEZ.

Prescott, August 15, 1868.

## Why is it

That Dry Goods are sold cheaper in Prescott than elsewhere this side of San Francisco? Enquire of my15 HENDERSON & CO.

## Prescott Advertisements.

### New and Important Discovery!

The undersigned have discovered that the only means by which Mining, Farming, and all other branches of business can be made to pay, the country to flourish, and the people made happy, is, TO SELL GOODS CHEAP, FOR CASH.

Being interested in the speedy completion of the Union Pacific Railway, E. D., we now propose to sell all kinds of goods, *Cheaper than Anybody.*

Call at the BRICK STORE, on the Plaza, and see for yourselves.

CAMPBELL & BUFFUM.

Prescott, July 24, 1868. js241

## STILL IN THE FIELD!

### GRAND FORWARD MOVEMENT!

### FURTHER REDUCTION!

DOWN, DOWN, DOWN

### GO THE PRICES!

### UNPRECEDENTED RUSH UPON

### D. HENDERSON & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
Gents Ready-Made Clothing,  
and Furnishing Goods,

Mission and Pioneer Mills' Woolen Goods,  
Fancy Goods, Yankee Notions,  
Confectionery, Stationery,

### Meerschmum Pipes,

Tobacco, Cigars, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Hosiery,  
Rucksack and Kid Gloves,  
Nuts, Figs, Dates,

Henry's and Spencer's Improved Rifles, Colt's  
Patent, Blasting and Sporting Powder,  
Fixed Ammunition, Caps, Fuse,  
Clocks, Farming Implements, Groceries,  
Wines and Liquors.

**Dry-Goods, Dry-Goods, Dry-Goods,**  
**CHEAPER THAN EVER!**

We can and shall run a lively opposition to high prices.

D. HENDERSON & CO.

Corner of Granite and Gurley Streets,  
Prescott, Arizona.

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## FEED AND SALE STABLE.

Goodwin Street, Opposite Plaza,



PRESCOTT, ARIZONA.

The undersigned have constantly on hand:

### HAY AND GRAIN.

Of the best quality, and at the LOWEST RATES.

Wagons, teams, saddle and pack animals,

always on hand, for sale or hire.

JAMES D. MONIHAN.

WILLIAM E. DENISON.

Prescott, Aug. 10, 1867. 14-6m

## Pacific Brewery,

Montezuma Street, Prescott, Arizona.

RAIBLE & SCHREIBER, Proprietors.

## AS WE BREW OUR OWN

Beer, and take great pains to make it O. K., lovers of that healthy and strengthening beverage will do well by calling upon us and taking some of our medicine.

Good LAGER BEER, Liquors and Cigars, always on hand.

JOHN RAIBLE,

PHILLIP SHEERER.

Prescott, October 5, 1867.

## CAMPBELL & BUFFUM,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL DEALERS IN

Groceries, Provisions,

Wines, Liquors,

Tobacco, Cigars,

Clothing, Dry-Goods,

Boots, Shoes,

Tinware, Hardware,

Paints, Oils,

&c., &c., &c.

## FIRE-PROOF BUILDING,

West Side of the Plaza, Prescott, Arizona.

JOHN G. CAMPBELL,

W. M. BUFFUM.

Prescott, April 4, 1868.

## NEW STORE.

GO TO...

### KERR'S CHEAP STORE,